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TAGS: MARR, VS

SUBJECT: SPOT REPORT

FOLLOWING TELEGRAM RECEIVED FROM USDAO SAIGON 6 NOV 73
REPEATED FOR YOUR INFO.

QUOTE:

C O N F I D E N T I A L

SUBJ: SOPT REPORT (U)

1. (C) ON 4 OCT 73 AT 0120Z IN ICCS HELICOPTER, ON FERRY FLIGHT FROM SGN TO DA NANG, LANDED AT "ENGLISH" AIRFIELD (BS 879010) FOR REFUELING IN NORTHEASTERN BINH DINH PROV.
2. (C) WHILE IN PROCESS OF LANDINGN HELO RECEIVED GROUND FIRE FROM THREE SEPARATE LOCATIONS. ALL THREE FIRING POSITIONS WERE FROM POSITION APPROX ONE TO ONE-HALF KM NE OF AIRFIELD. FIRING BELIEVED TO BE AK-47 FIRE. HELO WAS HIT ONCE IN LEFT SIDE OF ENGINE COWLING.
3. (C) AFTER REFUELING, PILOT WAS ABLE TO FLY HELO TO DA NANG FOR REPAIRS. THERE WERE NO PASSENGERS ON BOARD AND NO INJURIES TO CREW

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